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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Timothy Fries, et al. )

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Group Art Unit: 2633

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Examiner: Agustin Bello

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR )  
PROVIDING DISPERSION AND )  
DISPERSION SLOPE COMPENSATION )

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated June 26, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 6 and 9 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter contained therein.